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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the final Office Action mailed September 8, 2005. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the claims as amended as they place the application in condition for allowance, or, at least, in better form for appeal.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper

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